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ABSTRACT

This document from the Miami-Dade Community College Office of Institutional Research (Florida) briefly reports student retention rates at the college for the year 2000. Retention rates for degree-seeking students in 2000 increased from 1998 for all major ethnic categories. The year 2000 total college retention rate was 72.5%. Retention rates by ethnicity were: white non-Hispanic 70.1% (an increase of 3.5 percentage points from 1998), black non-Hispanic 73.4%, and Hispanic 72.5%. When students who graduated in the fall term were taken into account, the retention rates were even greater: total college was 76.5%, white non-Hispanic 75.5%, black non-Hispanic 77.1%, and Hispanic 76.4%. Retention rates of new students also increased for all major ethnic categories: total college was 78.3%, white non-Hispanic 73.3%, black non-Hispanic 78.4% (an increase of 2.9 percentage points from 1998), and Hispanic 79.1%. In general, new students showed the highest retention rates among the different categories of enrollment (i.e. new, continuing, other). Includes eight tables reporting the 1996-2000 retention rates (with the exception of 1999 rates, which were excluded due to data anomalies). These retention rate tables are organized according to the students' enrollment category, ethnicity, and college campus. (KP)

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Fall-to-Spring Retention Rates Up for All Ethnic Groups

Retention rates for degree-seeking students in 2000 increased for all major ethnic categories. The Black non-Hispanic retention rate increased to 73.4% and was the highest among ethnic groups. The Hispanic retention rate rose a percentage point to 72.5%. Although White non-Hispanic students show a retention rate of only 70.1%, this rate represents a 3.5 percentage point gain over 1998.

Retention Rate by Ethnicity

	Year	
Ethnicity	1998	2000
White Non-Hispanic	66.6%	70.1%
Black Non-Hispanic	72.2%	73.4%
Hispanic	71.5%	72.5%
Total College	71.1%	72.5%

Fall-to-Spring Ethnic Retention + Graduation Rates Boosted

A more accurate measure of retention takes into account those who graduated in the Fall term, since these graduates would not be returning. For 2000, the retention plus graduation rate for Hispanics was 76.4%, and this was the highest rate among Hispanics for the years studied. Black non-Hispanic retention + graduation rate peaked at 77.1%. White non-Hispanic students had a rate of 75.5%. (Details are found in the attached Table 1).

Retention + Graduation Rates

	Year	
Ethnicity	1998	2000
White Non-Hispanic	71.4%	75.5%
Black Non-Hispanic	75.3%	77.1%
Hispanic	74.2%	76.4%
Total College	74.2%	76.5%

Source: Retention – MSS040; Graduates - TRS08

Retention of New Students by Ethnicity

Retention rates of new students also increased for all major ethnic categories. Black non-Hispanic new students had the largest gain, 2.9 percentage points - to 78.4% in 2000. The Hispanic new student retention of 79.1% exceeded the college-wide rates and is the highest rate shown. In general, new students have the highest retention rates among the categories of enrollments (new, continuing, other). Table 1 provides the details.

New Student Retention

	Year	
Ethnicity	1998	2000
White Non-Hispanic	71.4%	73.3%
Black Non-Hispanic	75.5%	78.4%
Hispanic	78.6%	79.1%
Total College	77.2%	78.3%

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Campus Retention + Graduation Rates for Ethnic Groups

Tables 2-8 (attached) display ethnic group retention data as well as retention + graduation data for all campuses. Some notable findings for the combined retention + graduation rate are:

- Medical Campus rates far exceed those of other campuses across ethnic groups and ranged from 87% - 88% in 2000.
- North Campus rates were evenly distributed across ethnicities at 75%-76% in 2000.
- Wolfson Campus ethnic rates ranged narrowly between 76%-78% for 2000.
- Homestead Campus had the greatest retention + graduation rate increase (6.8 percentage points) across campuses for Hispanic students in 2000.
- InterAmerican Campus had a retention + graduation rate of 78.5% for Hispanic students, and this surpassed the college rate.
- In 2000, White non-Hispanic retention + graduation rates on North, Kendall, Wolfson, and Homestead campuses increased by more than 4 percentage points.

Campus Retention + Graduation Rates by Ethnicity

	Ethnicity							
	White Non-Hispanic		Black Non-Hispanic		Hispanic		Total	
Campus	1998	2000	1998	2000	1998	2000	1998	2000
North*	70.5%	75.2%	74.3%	76.4%	74.0%	75.0%	73.9%	75.6%
Kendall	69.9%	74.3%	71.5%	72.8%	73.1%	75.3%	72.6%	75.1%
Wolfson	71.1%	76.0%	76.2%	78.3%	74.3%	77.0%	74.4%	77.2%
Medical	88.4%	88.4%	93.9%	87.9%	87.8%	86.5%	89.5%	87.1%
Homestead	69.0%	73.8%	72.5%	76.1%	71.3%	78.1%	70.8%	76.7%
InterAmerican	64.4%	57.8%	75.9%	76.9%	75.9%	78.5%	75.7%	78.2%
Total College	71.4%	75.5%	75.3%	77.1%	74.2%	76.4%	74.2%	76.5%

*Includes Hialeah Center

Notes on Method:

This report is an extension of Information Capsule IC 2001-10C that analyzed college-wide and campus retention rates for new, continuing, and other (former, transfer, dual, miscoded) degree-seeking students. This capsule captures the same population and presents an ethnic perspective. For retention data, campus is based on the campus where more than 50% of course credits were taken in the Fall term. Any Spring term enrollment is counted as retention. For graduation data, the graduate is counted on the campus posting the degree. Data for 1999 are not available due to data anomalies in the Odyssey conversion.

Table 1
Fall To Spring (Winter) Retention
Degree-Seeking Students
Miami-Dade Community College
1996 Through 2000
COLLEGE-WIDE

Fall Term	New Number	New Percent Returning	Continuing Number	Continuing Percent Returning	Other Number	Other Percent Returning	Total Number	Total Percent Returning	Fall Graduates AA, AS Number	Fall Graduates AA, AS Percent*	Retained + Graduated Percent
Total All Ethnic											
1996	7,407	78.4%	33,323	71.6%	4,385	54.3%	45,115	71.0%	2,209	4.9%	75.9%
1997	6,933	78.8%	32,893	71.7%	4,411	52.9%	44,237	71.0%	1,953	4.4%	75.4%
1998	6,472	77.2%	32,339	72.1%	4,444	54.7%	43,255	71.1%	1,348	3.1%	74.2%
2000	6,261	78.3%	28,603	73.1%	5,761	62.9%	40,625	72.5%	1,650	4.1%	76.5%
White Non-Hispanic											
1996	825	71.4%	4,566	67.7%	826	53.9%	6,217	66.3%	599	9.6%	76.0%
1997	705	75.6%	4,022	69.0%	803	53.2%	5,530	67.5%	357	6.5%	74.0%
1998	720	71.4%	3,682	68.1%	764	54.7%	5,166	66.6%	252	4.9%	71.4%
2000	697	73.3%	2,778	70.6%	730	64.9%	4,205	70.1%	228	5.4%	75.5%
Black Non-Hispanic											
1996	1,584	77.7%	7,139	72.2%	1,029	55.3%	9,752	71.3%	366	3.8%	75.1%
1997	1,405	76.7%	6,988	73.0%	1,066	54.0%	9,459	71.4%	438	4.6%	76.0%
1998	1,384	75.5%	6,884	74.0%	1,085	57.1%	9,353	72.2%	290	3.1%	75.3%
2000	1,221	78.4%	6,041	75.0%	1,449	62.9%	8,711	73.4%	324	3.7%	77.1%
Hispanic											
1996	4,863	79.7%	20,979	72.1%	2,436	53.8%	28,278	71.9%	1,173	4.1%	76.0%
1997	4,703	79.8%	21,218	71.8%	2,458	52.1%	28,379	71.4%	1,095	3.9%	75.3%
1998	4,266	78.6%	21,130	72.2%	2,519	53.9%	27,915	71.5%	767	2.7%	74.2%
2000	4,259	79.1%	19,314	72.9%	3,497	62.4%	27,070	72.5%	1,060	3.9%	76.4%
Other											
1996	135	81.5%	639	74.6%	94	61.7%	868	74.3%	71	8.2%	82.5%
1997	120	85.0%	665	71.7%	84	60.7%	869	72.5%	63	7.2%	79.7%
1998	102	83.3%	643	71.9%	76	47.4%	821	71.0%	39	4.8%	75.8%
2000	84	76.2%	470	73.4%	85	65.9%	639	72.8%	38	5.9%	78.7%

*Percent of Fall Term students who graduated.

Note: Data for 1999 are not available due to data anomalies in the Odyssey conversion.

Table 2
Fall To Spring (Winter) Retention
Degree-Seeking Students
Miami-Dade Community College
1996 Through 2000
NORTH CAMPUS (Including Hialeah)

Fall Term	New		Continuing		Other		Total		Fall Graduates AA, AS		Retained + Graduated
	Number	Percent Returning	Number	Percent Returning	Number	Percent Returning	Number	Percent Returning	Number	Percent*	Percent
Total All Ethnic											
1996	2,289	77.3%	9,293	70.8%	1,444	52.8%	13,026	69.9%	538	4.1%	74.1%
1997	2,136	75.7%	9,985	71.6%	1,499	50.2%	13,620	69.9%	516	3.8%	73.7%
1998	2,044	77.9%	9,623	72.5%	1,494	56.2%	13,161	71.5%	319	2.4%	73.9%
2000	1,645	78.5%	8,188	73.0%	1,897	64.6%	11,730	72.4%	373	3.2%	75.6%
White Non-Hispanic											
1996	139	66.9%	870	62.4%	170	50.0%	1,179	61.2%	111	9.4%	70.6%
1997	110	62.7%	766	67.2%	184	48.4%	1,060	63.5%	63	5.9%	69.4%
1998	133	73.7%	643	66.6%	149	57.0%	925	66.1%	41	4.4%	70.5%
2000	126	76.2%	442	67.6%	135	71.1%	703	69.8%	38	5.4%	75.2%
Black Non-Hispanic											
1996	904	77.8%	3,774	71.1%	652	54.3%	5,330	70.2%	160	3.0%	73.2%
1997	841	76.3%	4,052	73.1%	675	53.8%	5,568	71.3%	215	3.9%	75.1%
1998	816	75.7%	3,927	73.8%	677	58.2%	5,420	72.1%	116	2.1%	74.3%
2000	651	79.6%	3,418	74.6%	894	65.0%	4,963	73.5%	143	2.9%	76.4%
Hispanic											
1996	1,203	78.1%	4,487	72.2%	593	51.6%	6,283	71.4%	253	4.0%	75.4%
1997	1,150	76.5%	4,974	71.0%	615	46.2%	6,739	69.7%	222	3.3%	73.0%
1998	1,072	79.9%	4,864	72.2%	648	54.5%	6,584	71.7%	151	2.3%	74.0%
2000	859	78.0%	4,204	72.4%	853	63.3%	5,916	71.9%	184	3.1%	75.0%
Other											
1996	43	81.4%	162	69.8%	29	58.6%	234	70.5%	14	6.0%	76.5%
1997	35	77.1%	193	69.9%	25	64.0%	253	70.4%	16	6.3%	76.7%
1998	23	87.0%	189	72.5%	20	40.0%	232	71.1%	11	4.7%	75.9%
2000	9	77.8%	124	71.0%	15	60.0%	148	70.3%	8	5.4%	75.7%

*Percent of Fall Term students who graduated.

Note: Data for 1999 are not available due to data anomalies in the Odyssey conversion.

Table 3
Fall To Spring (Winter) Retention
Degree-Seeking Students
Miami-Dade Community College
1996 Through 2000
KENDALL CAMPUS

Fall Term	New		Continuing		Other		Total		Fall Graduates AA, AS		Retained + Graduated
	Number	Percent Returning	Number	Percent Returning	Number	Percent Returning	Number	Percent Returning	Number	Percent*	Percent
Total All Ethnic											
1996	2,897	79.3%	12,737	71.4%	1,672	55.7%	17,306	71.2%	902	5.2%	76.4%
1997	2,829	80.5%	12,537	70.2%	1,680	53.4%	17,046	70.3%	792	4.6%	74.9%
1998	2,522	77.4%	12,029	70.3%	1,720	51.8%	16,271	69.5%	500	3.1%	72.6%
2000	2,629	77.8%	10,243	70.8%	1,824	58.5%	14,696	70.6%	663	4.5%	75.1%
White Non-Hispanic											
1996	413	76.5%	2,171	69.4%	362	55.5%	2,946	68.7%	237	8.0%	76.7%
1997	376	81.1%	1,941	68.5%	332	55.1%	2,649	68.6%	163	6.2%	74.7%
1998	333	71.8%	1,735	68.3%	356	52.5%	2,424	66.5%	83	3.4%	69.9%
2000	343	76.1%	1,267	70.2%	268	57.8%	1,878	69.5%	89	4.7%	74.3%
Black Non-Hispanic											
1996	262	73.7%	1,057	70.7%	156	56.4%	1,475	69.7%	59	4.0%	73.7%
1997	229	76.0%	1,015	69.8%	188	52.7%	1,432	68.5%	72	5.0%	73.5%
1998	223	73.5%	984	69.8%	177	55.4%	1,384	68.6%	41	3.0%	71.5%
2000	198	73.2%	801	70.7%	176	51.7%	1,175	68.3%	53	4.5%	72.8%
Hispanic											
1996	2,155	80.5%	9,195	71.8%	1,119	55.7%	12,469	71.8%	568	4.6%	76.4%
1997	2,168	80.7%	9,264	70.6%	1,114	52.7%	12,546	70.7%	525	4.2%	74.9%
1998	1,908	78.7%	9,011	70.7%	1,149	51.0%	12,068	70.1%	359	3.0%	73.1%
2000	2,021	78.7%	7,953	70.9%	1,333	59.3%	11,307	70.9%	500	4.4%	75.3%
Other											
1996	67	80.6%	314	76.4%	35	57.1%	416	75.5%	38	9.1%	84.6%
1997	56	89.3%	317	71.9%	46	60.9%	419	73.0%	32	7.6%	80.7%
1998	58	82.8%	299	71.9%	38	52.6%	395	71.6%	17	4.3%	75.9%
2000	67	74.6%	222	73.9%	47	66.0%	336	72.9%	21	6.3%	79.2%

*Percent of Fall Term students who graduated.

Note: Data for 1999 are not available due to data anomalies in the Odyssey conversion.

Table 4
Fall To Spring (Winter) Retention
Degree-Seeking Students
Miami-Dade Community College
1996 Through 2000
WOLFSON CAMPUS

Fall Term	New		Continuing		Other		Total		Fall Graduates AA, AS		Retained + Graduated
	Number	Percent Returning	Number	Percent Returning	Number	Percent Returning	Number	Percent Returning	Number	Percent*	Percent
Total All Ethnic											
1996	1,894	80.3%	8,352	72.3%	858	55.5%	11,104	72.4%	320	2.9%	75.2%
1997	1,203	81.0%	5,588	72.6%	728	53.8%	7,519	72.2%	343	4.6%	76.7%
1998	1,138	75.7%	5,669	72.1%	634	55.7%	7,441	71.2%	233	3.1%	74.4%
2000	1,100	78.2%	4,799	74.7%	1,094	65.3%	6,993	73.8%	237	3.4%	77.2%
White Non-Hispanic											
1996	182	67.0%	805	67.6%	143	54.5%	1,130	65.8%	77	6.8%	72.7%
1997	145	74.5%	698	71.8%	164	51.8%	1,007	68.9%	44	4.4%	73.3%
1998	153	71.2%	698	67.9%	124	54.0%	975	66.7%	43	4.4%	71.1%
2000	142	68.3%	569	72.1%	172	70.3%	883	71.1%	43	4.9%	76.0%
Black Non-Hispanic											
1996	326	83.4%	1,374	74.4%	125	58.4%	1,825	74.9%	42	2.3%	77.2%
1997	265	79.6%	1,191	75.7%	120	57.5%	1,576	75.0%	59	3.7%	78.7%
1998	289	77.5%	1,182	75.4%	118	54.2%	1,589	74.2%	32	2.0%	76.2%
2000	294	79.9%	1,002	76.8%	236	66.1%	1,532	75.8%	39	2.5%	78.3%
Hispanic											
1996	1,366	81.2%	6,088	72.4%	575	54.6%	8,029	72.6%	196	2.4%	75.0%
1997	773	82.7%	3,614	71.7%	434	53.7%	4,821	71.8%	235	4.9%	76.7%
1998	682	75.4%	3,709	71.9%	383	56.7%	4,774	71.2%	151	3.2%	74.3%
2000	659	79.5%	3,165	74.5%	673	63.7%	4,497	73.6%	151	3.4%	77.0%
Other											
1996	20	85.0%	85	77.6%	15	73.3%	120	78.3%	5	4.2%	82.5%
1997	20	85.0%	85	75.3%	10	50.0%	115	74.8%	5	4.3%	79.1%
1998	14	100.0%	80	68.8%	9	55.6%	103	71.8%	7	6.8%	78.6%
2000	5	80.0%	63	74.6%	13	61.5%	81	72.8%	4	4.9%	77.8%

*Percent of Fall Term students who graduated.

Note: Data for 1999 are not available due to data anomalies in the Odyssey conversion.

Table 5
Fall To Spring (Winter) Retention
Degree-Seeking Students
Miami-Dade Community College
1996 Through 2000
MEDICAL CENTER CAMPUS

Fall Term	New		Continuing		Other		Total		Fall Graduates AA, AS		Retained + Graduated
	Number	Percent Returning	Number	Percent Returning	Number	Percent Returning	Number	Percent Returning	Number	Percent*	Percent
Total All Ethnic											
1996	59	61.0%	2,033	73.2%	206	50.5%	2,298	70.8%	389	16.9%	87.8%
1997	5	20.0%	1,579	74.6%	165	55.8%	1,749	72.7%	256	14.6%	87.3%
1998	22	50.0%	1,642	77.6%	171	59.1%	1,835	75.5%	257	14.0%	89.5%
2000	23	47.8%	1,619	78.1%	308	67.2%	1,950	76.0%	216	11.1%	87.1%
White Non-Hispanic											
1996	11	54.5%	392	66.3%	61	52.5%	464	64.2%	147	31.7%	95.9%
1997	1	0.0%	320	71.9%	68	54.4%	389	68.6%	68	17.5%	86.1%
1998	8	37.5%	306	70.3%	57	68.4%	371	69.3%	71	19.1%	88.4%
2000	4	50.0%	200	76.5%	72	72.2%	276	75.0%	37	13.4%	88.4%
Black Non-Hispanic											
1996	25	56.0%	754	75.7%	53	54.7%	832	73.8%	101	12.1%	85.9%
1997	1	100.0%	500	73.0%	43	51.2%	544	71.3%	86	15.8%	87.1%
1998	3	0.0%	523	79.7%	48	60.4%	574	77.7%	93	16.2%	93.9%
2000	5	80.0%	581	79.5%	85	61.2%	671	77.2%	72	10.7%	87.9%
Hispanic											
1996	22	68.2%	838	74.0%	84	45.2%	944	71.3%	129	13.7%	85.0%
1997	3	0.0%	716	76.8%	54	61.1%	773	75.4%	93	12.0%	87.5%
1998	11	72.7%	771	79.1%	63	52.4%	845	77.0%	91	10.8%	87.8%
2000	14	35.7%	807	77.9%	146	67.8%	967	75.8%	103	10.7%	86.5%
Other											
1996	1	100.0%	49	75.5%	8	62.5%	58	74.1%	12	20.7%	94.8%
1997	0	0.0%	43	76.7%	0	0.0%	43	76.7%	9	20.9%	97.7%
1998	0	0.0%	42	76.2%	3	0.0%	45	71.1%	2	4.4%	75.6%
2000	0	0.0%	31	64.5%	5	80.0%	36	66.7%	4	11.1%	77.8%

*Percent of Fall Term students who graduated.

Note: Data for 1999 are not available due to data anomalies in the Odyssey conversion.

Table 6
Fall To Spring (Winter) Retention
Degree-Seeking Students
Miami-Dade Community College
1996 Through 2000
HOMESTEAD CAMPUS

Fall Term	New		Continuing		Other		Total		Fall Graduates AA, AS		Retained + Graduated
	Number	Percent Returning	Number	Percent Returning	Number	Percent Returning	Number	Percent Returning	Number	Percent*	Percent
Total All Ethnic											
1996	268	68.3%	908	73.0%	205	52.7%	1,381	69.1%	60	4.3%	73.4%
1997	253	73.1%	839	68.2%	154	58.4%	1,246	68.0%	46	3.7%	71.7%
1998	275	71.3%	930	70.0%	200	54.5%	1,405	68.0%	39	2.8%	70.8%
2000	274	73.4%	905	73.5%	212	61.3%	1,391	71.6%	71	5.1%	76.7%
White Non-Hispanic											
1996	80	65.0%	328	72.3%	90	54.4%	498	67.9%	27	5.4%	73.3%
1997	68	70.6%	269	64.7%	53	62.3%	390	65.4%	19	4.9%	70.3%
1998	90	70.0%	268	67.5%	68	52.9%	426	65.7%	14	3.3%	69.0%
2000	79	65.8%	266	71.8%	75	62.7%	420	69.0%	20	4.8%	73.8%
Black Non-Hispanic											
1996	67	73.1%	180	74.4%	43	58.1%	290	71.7%	4	1.4%	73.1%
1997	69	71.0%	210	70.5%	38	55.3%	317	68.8%	6	1.9%	70.7%
1998	50	72.0%	247	73.7%	60	55.0%	357	70.3%	8	2.2%	72.5%
2000	71	74.6%	207	74.9%	53	52.8%	331	71.3%	16	4.8%	76.1%
Hispanic											
1996	117	67.5%	371	73.0%	65	44.6%	553	68.5%	27	4.9%	73.4%
1997	107	74.8%	335	69.9%	60	56.7%	502	69.3%	20	4.0%	73.3%
1998	129	72.9%	386	69.4%	66	56.1%	581	68.7%	15	2.6%	71.3%
2000	122	77.0%	405	72.8%	81	64.2%	608	72.5%	34	5.6%	78.1%
Other											
1996	4	75.0%	29	72.4%	7	71.4%	40	72.5%	2	5.0%	77.5%
1997	9	88.9%	25	64.0%	3	66.7%	37	70.3%	1	2.7%	73.0%
1998	6	50.0%	29	69.0%	6	50.0%	41	63.4%	2	4.9%	68.3%
2000	2	100.0%	27	88.9%	3	100.0%	32	90.6%	1	3.1%	93.8%

*Percent of Fall Term students who graduated.

Note: Data for 1999 are not available due to data anomalies in the Odyssey conversion.

Table 7
Fall To Spring (Winter) Retention
Degree-Seeking Students
Miami-Dade Community College
1996 Through 2000
INTERAMERICAN CAMPUS

Fall Term	New		Continuing		Other		Total		Fall Graduates AA, AS		Retained + Graduated
	Number	Percent Returning	Number	Percent Returning	Number	Percent Returning	Number	Percent Returning	Number	Percent*	Percent
Total All Ethnic											
1996	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0.0%
1997	507	80.7%	2,365	77.7%	185	60.0%	3,057	77.1%	0	0.0%	77.1%
1998	471	81.3%	2,446	75.9%	225	61.8%	3,142	75.7%	0	0.0%	75.7%
2000	590	83.2%	2,849	75.9%	426	65.5%	3,865	75.9%	90	2.3%	78.2%
White Non-Hispanic											
1996	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0.0%
1997	5	60.0%	28	92.9%	2	0.0%	35	82.9%	0	0.0%	82.9%
1998	3	66.7%	32	71.9%	10	40.0%	45	64.4%	0	0.0%	64.4%
2000	3	100.0%	34	55.9%	8	37.5%	45	55.6%	1	2.2%	57.8%
Black Non-Hispanic											
1996	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0.0%
1997	0	0.0%	20	75.0%	2	100.0%	22	77.3%	0	0.0%	77.3%
1998	3	100.0%	21	81.0%	5	40.0%	29	75.9%	0	0.0%	75.9%
2000	2	100.0%	32	75.0%	5	60.0%	39	74.4%	1	2.6%	76.9%
Hispanic											
1996	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0.0%
1997	502	80.9%	2,315	77.5%	181	60.2%	2,998	77.1%	0	0.0%	77.1%
1998	464	81.5%	2,389	75.9%	210	63.3%	3,063	75.9%	0	0.0%	75.9%
2000	584	83.0%	2,780	76.2%	411	66.2%	3,775	76.2%	88	2.3%	78.5%
Other											
1996	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0.0%
1997	0	0.0%	2	50.0%	0	0.0%	2	50.0%	0	0.0%	50.0%
1998	1	0.0%	4	75.0%	0	0.0%	5	60.0%	0	0.0%	60.0%
2000	1	100.0%	3	66.7%	2	50.0%	6	66.7%	0	0.0%	66.7%

*Percent of Fall Term students who graduated.

Note: Data for 1999 are not available due to data anomalies in the Odyssey conversion.

Table 8
Fall To Spring (Winter) Retention
Degree-Seeking Students
Miami-Dade Community College
1996 Through 2000
HIALEAH CENTER (Included in North Campus)

Fall Term	New		Continuing		Other		Total	
	Number	Percent Returning	Number	Percent Returning	Number	Percent Returning	Number	Percent Returning
Total All Ethnic								
1996	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%
1997	289	75.4%	988	68.6%	110	50.9%	1,387	68.6%
1998	301	83.4%	1,057	72.7%	151	62.9%	1,509	73.8%
2000	315	78.7%	1,121	71.1%	243	73.7%	1,679	72.9%
White Non-Hispanic								
1996	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%
1997	4	50.0%	18	66.7%	3	66.7%	25	64.0%
1998	6	100.0%	18	83.3%	3	33.3%	27	81.5%
2000	12	58.3%	14	57.1%	10	90.0%	36	66.7%
Black Non-Hispanic								
1996	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%
1997	1	100.0%	18	61.1%	3	33.3%	22	59.1%
1998	1	100.0%	21	52.4%	3	66.7%	25	56.0%
2000	2	50.0%	17	52.9%	10	100.0%	29	69.0%
Hispanic								
1996	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%
1997	284	75.7%	950	68.8%	103	50.5%	1,337	68.9%
1998	293	82.9%	1,013	72.9%	145	63.4%	1,451	73.9%
2000	301	79.7%	1,088	71.6%	222	72.1%	1,611	73.2%
Other								
1996	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%
1997	0	0.0%	2	50.0%	1	100.0%	3	66.7%
1998	1	100.0%	5	80.0%	0	0.0%	6	83.3%
2000	0	0.0%	2	50.0%	1	0.0%	3	33.3%

*Percent of Fall Term students who graduated.

Note: Data for 1999 are not available due to data anomalies in the Odyssey conversion.

Hialeah graduates cannot be separated from North Campus.